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## EXCESSIVE HEAT AND DROUGHT IN QUEBEC

BRANDON PREPARING FOR THE BIG FAIR

J. J. Hill Will Be Invited to Officiate at Opening—Man Cut to Pieces on Railway.

Montreal, July 16.—The drought, accompanied by excessive heat, still continues in this province and has caused very serious injury to the hay and grain crops.

Brandon Fair.

Brandon, July 16.—A movement is on foot, backed by the leading public bodies, with a view to have J. J. Hill, president of the Great Northern Railway Company, formally open Brandon's big fair. If Mr. Hill accepts, it is expected that he will deliver a message to the farmers of the West on the agricultural interests of the western provinces. The city council and the board of trade are co-operating with the fair board and are joining in the invitation to Mr. Hill. A visit to the manager's office shows that things are humming there, and a large staff are engaged in the detail work. The indications are that the fair will be a record breaker from the standpoint of exhibitors, and in anticipation of this the accommodation is being increased for almost every class mentioned in the programme. It was learned that particularly in the horse classes the increase will be very noticeable. For instance, it is expected that in the special class for Bryson colts there will be upwards of 100 entries. The directors in charge say that one of their new barns will be filled to the doors with entries in the Clydesdale classes alone. There will also be an exceptionally good showing in the very light classes, including the Shetlands, Cobbs, etc. It is confidently expected that there will be the finest array of equines on the grounds that has ever witnessed in the West. The horses will really be a "show within a show."

Girl Drowned.

Ottawa, July 16.—Bertha Desrocher, 16 years of age, daughter of R. C. Desrocher, assistant secretary of the public works department, was drowned in Kingsmere lake on Saturday.

Steamer Floated.

Quebec, July 16.—The steamer Carvona, which was ashore ten miles below Anticosti, was brought into port by G. T. Davies' wrecking steamer Lord Strathcona this morning. Divers are now examining her in the outer basin. The cargo is practically all safe.

Man Killed.

Montreal, July 16.—The remains of a man were found scattered over a large field. An identification card in the pocket of his coat gave his name as Joseph M. Burton and his address as 1224 Seventh avenue, Seattle. The finder being asked to notify Mrs. Vandyne.

## Hair Gone?

Suppose your hair should all leave you! Then what? Weak hair is the kind that falls out, not strong hair! Just learn a lesson from this. If your hair is falling out, strengthen it. Give it food, hair-food—Ayer's Hair Vigor. It checks falling hair, cures dandruff, and makes the hair soft and smooth. Sold for over half a century.

## PREPARING TO JOIN PEOPLE

Russian-Soldiers Organize League to Take Part in Revolution.

St. Petersburg, July 16.—At a meeting held to-day at St. Petersburg, attended by three of the guard regiments, an officer addressed the men on the subject of the "soldiers' union," which is being organized. He pointed out that the league was democratic and was being organized for the purpose of guarding the constitution and establishing constitutional institutions and to prepare the army to come over to the people when they were ready and armed for resistance.

The soldiers received the speech with much applause and showed eagerness to join the union, which is already very strong in southern and southwestern Russia, Siberia, the Caucasus and Turkestan. Tuesday's meeting was the first step toward organization in this locality.

That the council of the Empire accepted without amendment, Saturday, parliament's bill appropriating \$7,500,000 for famine relief, came as a surprise, but has occasioned the greatest jubilation in the camp of the lower house, as it is regarded as a vote of lack of confidence in the Gorenky ministry on the part of the upper chamber.

While many speakers in the council of the Empire really favored the adoption of the cabinet's recommendations, they recognized that it would be a fatal mistake for the council to antagonize the lower house in the present crisis. Moreover, those on the inside who were aware that the negotiations between the government and the Constitutional Democrats were entering the final stage, were naturally influenced by coming events.

According to tonight's reports all the questions of principles involved in the change of the ministry have been settled, and now it is a matter of mere personalities.

The Emperor is still objecting to certain names proposed by the Constitutional Democrats. Admiral Skrydlov probably will succeed the late Vice-Admiral Chepur, commander of the Black Sea fleet.

## KILLED IN CROSSING

New York, July 16.—Three persons were killed in a grade crossing accident on the Long Island Railroad Company's Manhattan Beach line in New York. The dead are Samuel Meany, 33, hotel-keeper, of Brooklyn; Samuel Meany, Jr., his 14-year-old son; and Annie Meany, his 2-year-old daughter.

Mr. Meany and his children were accompanied by Mrs. Meany, 42 years of age, who was driving when struck by a Manhattan Beach express. The father and son were instantly killed and the girl died within a few hours. Rubin was probably fatally injured.

## SITUATION IN EGYPT

London, July 16.—The correspondent at Cairo of the Express learns that in view of the rapidly increasing fanaticism of the natives, elaborate plans for strengthening the army of occupation have been prepared by Lord Cromer, the British agent and consul-general in Egypt, and his advisers.

## CLARK'S PORK AND BEANS

The kind you like. The pork gives them a nice meaty flavor. Plate with Chili and Tomato Sauce.

William J. Bryan left London on Monday and will visit Oxford, Stratford-upon-Avon, and other places in Warwickshire, before he returns to London.

Clark and Dublin. He will return to London July 22nd, when he will go to Harwarden.

## FORCED TO FIGHT

Honduras Declares That Invasion By Guatemala Was Not Justified.

New York, July 16.—The Associated Press has received the following telegram from the president of the Republic of Honduras:

Honduras, July 16.—Honduras has not declared war. Guatemala, without justification or reason, has invaded the territory of this free and independent country, which has come to the national defence.

Arranging Conference.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., July 16.—Peace negotiations between Salvador and Guatemala are being arranged to-day by President Roosevelt and Acting Secretary of State Bacon at Sagamore Hill. The parties are not yet settled upon the details of the conference, but it is believed that the negotiations at this time. It is rumored here that it would hardly be fair to compel Guatemala to face two former foes in a peace conference at one time. Honduras will probably agree to the settlement arranged by the two states primarily involved.

The negotiation is believed, with doubtless be held on board the American cruiser Marblehead now in Guatemalan waters. The arbitrator on behalf of the United States and Mexico will be the Mexican minister to Central America, Mr. Gomez. United States minister to Guatemala, Mr. Henry. United States minister to Salvador, Mr. The date and details of the proceedings beyond this has not been arranged.

## THE REBEL LEADER

Story of the Finding of the Body of Bambata.

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Terrified at the sight, the native guide and the two natives with him fled. The doctor thereupon cut the head from the body and took it to headquarters, where it was identified, photographed and then returned and buried with the body.

## EN ROUTE TO LONDON TOWN

Chiefs of British Columbia Indian Tribes Wait on Minister of Interior at Ottawa.

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Capilano says the British Columbia Indians have no bad, but much good in their hearts for the King. They have been chosen to give the King many fine things from the heart of the British Columbia Indians.

## BOY KILLED BY LIGHTNING

Chicago, July 16.—Frank Matson, 14 years old, was killed and four others seriously burned by lightning to-day while seeking shelter from a rainstorm, under a tree at Lower street and the Lakeshore drive. The injured are William Happers, George Honan, Charles Steelling and Joseph Steelling. Several buildings were struck by lightning and set on fire, the most seriously damaged being the residence of publisher James Quigley, at 623 North State street, which sustained a loss of about \$10,000.

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## TO CURE WOMANLY ILLS

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## VALUABLE TROPHY REACHES THE CITY

IS TO BE COMPETED FOR AMONG RIFLEMEN

St. Charles Condensing Company of Ingersoll, Prov. des Shield Through Local Agents.

The firm of Shalleross & Macaulay, of this city, has received a very valuable trophy for competition among the riflemen of the province of British Columbia. This is donated by the St. Charles Condensing Company of Ingersoll, represented by Shalleross & Macaulay. To-day the trophy is on exhibition in the window of Fred Carney's Grocery Store. The trophy is in the form of an oblong tablet containing in warlike form artistically carved. The general character of the shield is very striking. An interesting feature of it is that it was designed by a brother of J. J. Shalleross of this city.

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## WOMEN'S CLUB IN KOREA

Supporters in That Country Demand Many Radical Changes.

Though the women movement is making vast strides and gathering converts in many unlikely places, even the most hardened suffragette will be interested in the news that Korea is the latest scene of war in the ladies' battle. The movement takes a similar form to that which it has shown elsewhere, and is interesting in only from this point of view, as suggesting the possibility of a big united movement in the distant future on the part of all progressive women.

Equality of the sexes is what the Korean ladies desire, radical change in woman's dress, better education, and an improved business footing between Korea and other countries is novel idea that is being advanced.

The women who have allied themselves to this movement are drawn from the upper middle class, and have opened a women's club, and have embodied the ideas already set forth in a manifesto, which is a truly amazing document. The members of the new club are doing their native costumes, and going in for a terrible European compromise, in which the inevitable spectacles, always associated with learning, play a conspicuous part.

The club has grown up members and also young schoolgirls, who, to show their independence, are allowed to go to school and in the streets minus the sheltering "apron" or head-covering which is always worn by the Korean female.

The Korean women have their hard lot; they have a voice in the affairs of their household or state, they feel they are in an evil case indeed and believe that the only way to escape their present condition is to become more like the members of their sex on the globe. Reference is made to the different organizations that Western women have formed for the advancement of social, literary and commercial purposes. London Tribune.

## PHILOSOPHY OF DANCING

Famous Men of Antiquity Who Were Dancers.

As Mr. Souver's was "the right shop for morals," so it has been found year after year that the conference of the International Academy of Composers of the Dance, and Dancing Masters is the right shop for history and deportment, and more especially for history. At the conference which was held in Paris M. Eugene Giraudet, the president of the academy, traced the history of dancing from early times.

The hymnal dance was evidently in vogue when the Incas of the Red Sea. The fable is always claimed by Provence, but it seems now that it was invented by Thebes when he came out of the Labyrinth, and that it was called the stork, because it imitated the flight of storks. Socrates danced, Plato and I should like to hear Dr. Emil Reich on this point, and Simplicius must have danced, according to our Academician, because they said such pleasant things about dancing.

Louis XIV. was not only "Le Grand Monarque," but also "un grand danseur," because he said: "He who dances well makes a long life in love." When Napoleon I was a military student at Brienne he demanded more money from his father for dancing lessons, saying: "I do not know how to dance, and that is very ridiculous." This remark," said M. Giraudet, "proves that Napoleon was not wanting in common sense."

Capt. Cook turns out to have been an early Capt. Reece (commander of the "Marquis" when he insisted that his sailors should dance every day. As to the "Chair," we were informed that, though he does not talk much, he has uttered this apothegm on dancing: "A man is perfect and complete only when he knows how to conduct himself under all social conditions. A dancing-master and master of manners is therefore indispensable." London Standard.

## THE SUPPLY OF FIDDLE STRINGS

An investigation of the sources of supply of the fiddle, entering into the manufacture of musical instruments in Germany has revealed the fact that nearly 20,000 pounds of sheep gut are used annually for strings. Nearly the whole of this quantity is imported from abroad, chiefly from Russia, which furnishes about 64,000 pounds, the rest coming from England, Australia and India. A report on the subject has been made by United States Consul Agent Fiedler, of Minsk, Russia, where the sheep are slaughtered principally on account of their meat, only young animals are killed, whose gut is lighter and softer than that of old sheep. In South America and Australia the sheep are bred specially on account of their wool. Young sheep are accordingly killed very seldom, and the mature gut is dark. In tropical countries much gut is spoiled because there are too few workmen, and the cleaning should be begun as soon as the sheep are killed. Only the strongest gut is saved and exported. In Hamburg and Berlin there are importers of gut who get the salted product from all parts of the world.

## Thousands Have Been Cured of Sweaty Diseased Feet by Using 'Foot Elm' Why Don't you Try it?

Eighteen powders 25c. A bushel of construction in every box.

The jury which has been convened to try the case of the woman who was killed by a train at Salisbury, Eng. in which 27 lives were lost, found that the despatch of the express on the London & North-western railway was due to the high speed at which the train was running.

## RECEIVED BY THE KING

London, July 16.—Lord Brassey on Friday presented thirty colonial delegates to the King. The number included Messrs. Drummond, Wilson, Smith, Mathewson of Montreal; Sir Sandford Fleming of Ottawa; Sir D. H. McMillan of Winnipeg; and W. F. Cockburn. His Majesty accorded them a cordial reception by kind words, and by his inquiries evidenced keen interest in Canada.

## HOW IT SPREADS

The spread of the disease of Piles has been traced to a small town in the province of Ontario. It was a case of Piles that was considered hopeless, and although this was only two years ago, the demand prompted Dr. J. S. Leonard, of Lincoln, Neb., the discoverer, to prepare it for general use. Now it is being sent to all parts of the world.

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#### BOUNDARY OUTLET

Increase of Nearly Fifty Per Cent. For  
Half Year. Value at  
\$3,000,000.

For the first six months of 1906, the output of the mines of the Boundary show a total of 63,528 tons, with an estimated total valuation of more than \$2,000,000, says the Phoenix Pioneer. "During the same period of 1905 the mines of this section, practically the same properties, shipped 45,193 tons of ore, valued conservatively at a little over \$1,000,000. In the absence of definite valuations of the products from all the mine managers, the average per ton is placed at the low figure of 25c.

These figures show that the output of 1906 thus far, as compared with that of 1905 for the same period, is an increase of nearly 50 per cent, which is not a bad record, even for the Boundary, where there is a mining way are, as a matter of course, on a considerable scale.

The ore record for June is slightly larger than for May, notwithstanding the fact that the British Columbia Copper Co.'s smelter is out of commission, owing to extensive enlargement in progress at the reduction works. Granby shipped nearly 12,000 tons more in June than in May, and Dominion Copper sent out about 2,000 tons more than the previous month."

#### NOTICE TO MARINERS

Issued by Department of Marine and Fisheries.

The following notice to mariners has just been issued by the department of marine and fisheries:

The change in the character of the light shown from Discovery Island lighthouse, Haro Strait, from fixed white to occulting white, advertised in notice to mariners No. 24 (60) of 1906, to be made on or about the 1st June, 1906, will be made on 10th August, 1906.

A lighthouse tower has been erected by the government of Canada on the reef at the west side of Denman Island, Baynes Sound, about 14 miles to the southwest of Village Point. The light will be put in operation on the 1st July, 1906. The tower stands on the reef, 250 feet out from the shore. It is a wooden building, square in plan, with sloping sides, surrounded by a square wooden lantern, the whole painted white. It is 27 feet high from its base to the top of the lantern on the lantern. The tower stands on a concrete foundation 12 feet high. A foot bridge connects the lighthouse with the shore. The light will be a fixed white light, elevated 25 feet above high water mark, and should be visible 7 miles from all points of approach by water. The illuminating apparatus is of the sixth order. A beacon has been erected on the outer edge of the reef, 200 feet S. 45 degrees W. from the lighthouse. It consists of a pole with a lattice-work drum on top, painted white, rising out of a concrete foundation.

Referring to notice to mariners No. 27 (60) of 1906, further notice is given that on 9th May, 1906, a whaling boat, painted black and white in perpendicular stripes, with S. B. in white letters, was established by the United States government in 24 fathoms of water on Swiftsure bank at the entrance to Juan de Fuca Strait.

#### SWISS SMOKE MOST

For some reason or none—most people have hitherto looked upon the Germans as the most inveterate smokers in the world; although the Dutch are a little ahead of them as consumers of tobacco, since pictorially a Dutchman is always associated with a pipe. But none will be prepared to hear that the Swiss smoke 20 per cent. more than either, still less that the Belgian burns more than double as much as the Dutchman.

Twenty-five thousand pounds is to be devoted to the relief of the rates from the profits of the Liverpool Corporation tramways during the past year.

### COWAN'S MILK CHOCOLATE

Superior to all others. We invite comparison. Croquettes, Wafers, Medallions, Etc.

Cowan's Cream Bars  
A Delicious Confection.

The Cowan Co., Ltd.  
TORONTO

## LOAN BY-LAW FOR PARK INTRODUCED

### PRISONERS AS STRIKE BREAKERS DISCUSSED

Many Items of Interest Taken Up by  
City Council Last  
Night.

Three volumes of British Columbia statutes, the big minute book and his excellency the janitor were the only signs of activity visible in the council chamber when 8 o'clock rang out from the clock tower last night. But the Mayor and aldermen came along pretty soon, complaining the inside clock was fast, and Ald. Yates was the only noticeable offender against the unwritten law requiring punctuality.

Probably the most interesting matter brought up was the request by the Trades and Labor Council for information regarding the employment of prisoners as strike breakers. The matter is fully stated below in connection with the letter from the body of unionists mentioned.

The Clark libel suit and several phases of the water question occupied the council, and were dealt with fully elsewhere. A by-law was introduced for raising a loan to acquire the proposed North Ward park; the Tax By-Law was finally passed, and several other routine matters taken up, the council adjourning about 11 p.m.

A slight error had crept into the minutes, the word "milk" being used instead of "cream," but with this change the record of last meeting was read and adopted.

The Electric Railway Company were asking for street lines on Douglas street in view of the proposed extension of track to Cloverdale road. This request was referred to the city engineer to be complied with.

Both the company mentioned and the Victoria Gas Co. wrote with reference to the complaint against tearing up streets in summer. This period of the year both deemed the best, and pointed out the city work was done at the same time. As for method of billing in depressions and the council's request for better workmanship the two corporations concerned promised to do better in future.

Ald. Fell moved that the Mayor find out privately from the city solicitor if the council could not complete such work when necessary and collect the amount from the company concerned. After Ald. Stewart had pointed out the city was as bad off as any one, the waterworks men being very bad and those constructing sewers only a little better the motion passed.

At the suggestion of the Mayor it was decided that the city engineer be instructed to tamper invariably and roll whenever possible after macadamized roads had been laid down.

Regarding the motion passed at the last council meeting requesting an extension of the tram lines to the cemetery, the company wrote that the matter had been taken up with the general manager. This communication was received and filed.

The secretary of the Trades and Labor Council wrote asking for information regarding a statement made public that the chief of police had turned over prisoners to the Pacific Coast Steamship Co. as strike breakers. The letter stated there was an industrial dispute between the company and the unionists and asked if, in the opinion of the council, the course taken was in the best interests of the city. It appeared the communication continued; that the agent of the company had appealed to the chief of police for men to take the place of strikers. That officer had it was stated given prisoners, their names and placed them aboard P. C. S. Co.'s steamers. While the body represented did not wish to be unfair or insinuate anything against the chief of police full information was desired.

Ald. Fullerton agreed with the letter, and moved it be referred to the police commissioners for report.

Ald. Fell objected to the council or commissioners inquiring into any matter unless a direct charge was made. He did not believe in borrowing trouble and would vote against the motion. He thought the Trades and Labor Council were on a "fishing expedition."

The motion was seconded by Ald. Douglas and was carried.

Secretary Outbrett of the Development & Tourist Association, Victoria, wrote suggesting that a flock of sheep be located at Beacon Hill park so that the grass might be kept down. In the opinion of the association mentioned it would much reduce the danger to houses on South Park street and other places from grass fires. A request was made by the Natural History Society that the promised donation of \$50 be paid so that obligations incurred could be met. Referred to finance committee.

The Y. M. C. A. acknowledged the payment of the grant of \$100, with thanks. Letter received and filed.

An invitation was read from the secretary of the Union of Canadian Menopausal Women from the convention to be held in Halifax, N. S., on August 14th to 16th.

Ald. Fell inquired as to finances, but it appeared no money was available. Finally the matter was left in the hands of the Mayor, in case some prominent citizen might be in the neighborhood who could be appointed a representative of Victoria.

The Mayor at this point asked that an error in a local paper be corrected. It had been stated, he said, that a letter would be written by him, to be read at the convention, on "Victoria as a place of residence." What the subject would be was "The city as a place of residence," not "Victoria in

particular, although, of course, he would say a good word for the home town.

David Spencer wrote acknowledging his appointment as director of the Jubilee hospital. Received and filed.

C. H. Gibbons sent a communication asking if the council would assist in any way the publication of a pamphlet dealing with the various advantages of Vancouver Island for which the writer had "a sincere love as his chosen home." Ald. Stewart wanted to see the articles first and characterized general advertising of Victoria as a fake by "guys who come to the city and make a living out of people." On motion of Ald. Hall the matter was referred to the Tourist Association.

Oliver Richards asked that the sidewalk on the south side of Johnson street be extended. Referred to streets committee.

A. D. McGill wrote requesting that water be carried to his lot in the Pearce estate. Water commissioner to report.

The old wharf on James Bay was next mentioned in a letter from the city solicitor enclosing one from the deputy minister of marine and fisheries. The latter stated that the cost of removal would be \$75, but this was not so important as the pulling of pile ends that might obstruct navigation. The department would halve the cost with the city. Received and filed.

The old question of whether the C. P. R. should be restricted in its title to the lot at the corner of Humboldt and Government streets was up again. A refusal had been made by the company to sign any document covenanting against the erection of a building on a lot mentioned. It was stated that the C. P. R. had paid \$20,000 for the lot and the city only \$2,500, and a decision was arrived at that the deed should have no such restriction. This decision was much accelerated by Ald. Stewart, who pointed out the proposed restriction was much in the nature of a land mortgage.

H. D. Holmcken wrote asking assistance towards sending the J. B. A. O. carmen to Nelson for the N. P. A. A. O. regatta late this month. Though Ald. Goodacre protested there were no funds, the request was favorably referred to the finance committee.

J. T. Smith sent a tender offering the city \$50 to remove all buildings in connection with the recently vacated Men's Home on condition that he was given a free license to take the buildings to lots 20 and 21, block A, Douglas street. Upon Purchasing Agent Northcott saying a better offer might be received the matter was left in abeyance.

The Mayor suggested the old buildings might be burned in the case of the fire department, but the idea was not entertained, as the conflagration would be a hot one and might damage the townships.

Reports from the city engineer and assessor respecting permanent sidewalk were received. The bodies are intended introduction of a by-law.

The tender of J. Piercy to supply 750 cubic yards of sand for the filter beds at \$1 per yard was accepted. Ald. Stewart stating that tests had proved it the best available.

W. H. Bone and 71 others petitioned that a by-law be introduced for raising a loan to purchase the proposed North Ward park from the Pearce estate. The city assessor reported that the property owned by petitioners was assessed at \$2,010,000, or more than the one-tenth of the total assessment of the city. It was received and filed as a by-law had already been prepared.

E. T. Taylor and others petitioned for an electric light at Powdermill Avenue and Dominion road, Victoria West. Referred to the proper committee.

H. Sharpe and others requested that a sewer be constructed to their property on Linden Avenue. As this would cost over \$3,000, and the road in question was public property, the petitioners will be informed the council is unable to do the work at present.

Upon recommendation of the finance committee the following contracts were awarded: Mello Bros., painting city hall, \$120; painting Victoria West fire hall, \$20; C. McGregor, painting and altering Oaklands fire hall, \$250; painting fire headquarters, \$250. The proposed market improvements were struck out.

Further reports from the same committee authorizing routine payments of \$1,311.86 and \$3,025.01 were adopted.

On motion of Ald. Fell the buildings on lots 42 and 43, block B, Victoria West, were ordered removed as unsanitary.

The by-law for a loan of \$21,000 to purchase the new North Ward park was introduced by Ald. Hall and read the first and second time. The Tax By-Law for 1906, particulars of which have been given in the Times, was finally passed.

The council then adjourned, after a passage of a motion instructing the city engineer not to authorize any change in method of boulevarding or altering sidewalks, unless previously passed upon by the aldermen.

The steamer Sarah M. Renton, for a number of years on the run between Seattle and Port Blakeley, has been sold to British Columbia parties for \$10,000, says the Seattle Times. "The Renton was considered a good boat to send to the Mexican coast just before the purchase of the steamer Garland. It is said that the deal for the Renton fell through and the representative of a Mexican mining company took the Garland. The Renton is about 17 years old, but is considered one of the best boats of her class on the Sound."

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## IS THERE COBALT ON THE ISLAND?

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of Ore.

There is every probability that cobalt will be discovered on Vancouver Island. The recent finds of silver-cobalt ores on Wallace mountain, west fork of Kettle river, lead to this supposition, as every other mineral so far found in British Columbia has been located in that semi-submerged range of mountains of which Vancouver, Queen Charlotte and adjacent islands are merely the apex rising above the sea.

The ore of cobalt are very little known in the West, and it is therefore deemed advisable to give a short description of their appearance as of use to prospectors and others interested in mining on the island. Cobalt is a tough, lustrous, reddish-white metal of the iron group, not easily fusible, and somewhat magnetic. It occurs in nature in combination with arsenic, sulphur and oxygen, and is obtained from its ore, cobaltite, cobaltine, arsenic and others. Its oxide colors glass or any flux, as borax, a fine blue, and is used in the manufacture of small, valuable pigment. In a pure state cobalt is worth from 35 to 65 cents per ounce, and already some \$200,000 worth has been shipped from the mines in Ontario.

New Caledonia, the French penal colony in the southern Pacific, has heretofore been the principal source of production, approximately 90 per cent. of that placed on the market being derived from this source. Other occurrences have been reported in Germany, Austria, Norway, Spain, Mexico, and the United States, but very few of them have been developed to any great extent.

The most interesting find to people on the Pacific Coast was made a few years ago near Grants Pass, Oregon, and a few trial shipments were sent to France. This vein was, however, non-ferrous-bearing, and contained about 15 per cent. of cobalt. The deposits are described as occupying fissures in a dark greenish, more or less altered diabase-porphry. They have a general N. E. and S. W. strike, and dip south-east. The ore bodies are lenticular in shape and vary from a few inches to several feet in width. Adjacent are found several other ores, mostly copper bearing, being chalcopyrite, bornite and pyrrhotite, with a quartz and calcite gangue. This special find is of small size, and had a rather unusual appearance, resembling somewhat acicular or fine columnar stibnite.

Aqueous origin is claimed for the cobalt ores of Ontario, although generally this mineral is found in igneous formations. None of the veins are wide and are found in three more or less parallel belts. The older rocks have, to a large extent, been covered by the Lower Huronian series, and it is in the latter the deposits have been found. Information so far, is very vague regarding adjacent formations, practically the only knowledge made public being that the prevailing nature features are similar to those at Joachimsthal, Austria. At that place the formation is a series of mica schist, calc schist and limestone, which is cut through by dikes of basalt. The veins are narrow and contain quartz, hornstone, calcite and dolomite as gangue material, and they often show a brecciated structure. With the cobalt ores are found galena, zincblende, pyrite, marcasite, copper pyrites and others. Another district where similar ores occur is that of Ambargen, Saxony.

Here the formation is very similar to that of Joachimsthal. The silver-cobalt veins cut across the older tin and lead veins of the district as well as the dikes of microgranite and lamprophyre. The latter, especially, is often cut by the silver-cobalt veins. These are cut by basalt, which occurs not only in true dikes, but also in boss-like forms.

The cobalt ores of Ontario very much resemble the above. In fact any ore of this appearance should be tested for cobalt. Those unacquainted by actual experience with cobalt deposits are extremely likely to be mistaken on a cursory inspection. It may be stated that in this city recently a well known chemist almost refused to take the trouble to assay a specimen brought from Coleman, Ontario. The presence of the cobalt had no changed the appearance that the high silver contents was unsuspected. When he was urged to experiment he was astounded to find the cupel running over with silver. This specimen, apart from its valuable cobalt contents, ran 2,000 ounces in silver to the ton.

At present cobalt is only used in small quantities, its high price prohibiting its extensive exploitation in metal manufactures. The coloring of porcelain enamels and glass is its principal use, and it is also employed in the manufacture of the red dye known as "cobalt blue."

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RETS ON WEATHER.

Perhaps in no country is gambling in every form and for stakes of every size so prevalent as in India. But a particular kind which is peculiar to this land is that which is the fashion during the rainy season. This is called Sutta, or rain-speculation.

The betting may take place anywhere, as long as there is a spout or a rain gauge which is recognized by both parties in the transaction.

Should the gambling take place in a room there will probably be a long counter-like table extending from one end to the other. At one side sit the bookmakers, and by their sides a gorgeous brass-bound box, native inkstand, and sand box. These men book the time at which the gambler thinks the rain will descend.

The means for settling the questions are very simple, and are of two kinds. One is a long gutter running along the eaves of the house or building, at the end of which there is a small hole to which a spout is fixed. Through this narrow aperture the water trickles when the rain falls in the form of a slight drizzle.

But when it rains in earnest the rush of water is not able to escape through the small water spout, so fills up the gutter and pours over the end. It is on this deserted end that most of the bets are booked.

The rich merchants and traders, poor soldiers and clerks, all classes, in fact, look anxiously at the sky and risk all the money they have within reach—sometimes even that which is not their own, for the gambling madness is as strong within them when betting on the weather as on the stock-exchange or the lottery.

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—Cabinet photos, \$3.50 per dozen. Have you had your photograph taken yet?—The reduced rate is only for July. Foxall Studio, 59½ Government street.

—Take a trip next Sunday on the steamer Iroquois among the Thousand Islands of the Gulf and you will be delighted. Train leaves V. & S. station at 8:30 a.m.

—A meeting of the directors of the Provincial Jubilee hospital will be held at the hospital on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

—Enclosed in a letter received by the provincial bureau of information from Oakville, Wash., were studio photos of about a dozen pretty children. As the writer of this province he probably sent them along as a recommendation.

—A team of horses attached to Spencer's big delivery wagon, caused some excitement on Broad and Fort streets last evening. The horses, becoming frightened, raced down Broad street and turning on Fort brought the wagon to a standstill on the permanent sidewalk in front of the music store on the south side of the street. On reaching the hard cement walk the animals lost their feet and falling were immediately caught. They had taken the wagon between a telephone pole and the front windows of the music store in a remarkable manner, and had they continued down the street doubtless would have caused serious mishap. The only damage done was to a bicycle left standing next to the sidewalk. The front wheel of which was demolished.

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## VICTORIA'S DAILY WEATHER

Sunday, July 16.  
Highest.....59  
Lowest.....54  
Mean.....56  
Sunshine, 13 hours 20 minutes.

Monday, July 17.  
Highest.....57  
Lowest.....54  
Mean.....55  
Sunshine, 11 hours 24 minutes.

"Bella Cubana," clear Havana Cigar.  
—New pictures and enlarged orchestra, Gorge Park.

—In chambers this morning before Mr. Justice Irving letters of administration were granted in the estate of E. M. Ewing.

—The steamer Waiwale, which has been on the Nanaimo-Seattle run for the past few weeks, has "been" withdrawn from the run for the present.

—Several examiners are going north by the next steamer to join the Grand Trunk Pacific survey parties. A few more are sought at the local offices of the engineering department of the company.

—A new exemplification of Victoria's beauty has just been published by T. N. Hibben & Co. It takes the form of a souvenir letter, and is embellished with half tone sepia views of many points of interest. The new souvenir should become extremely popular.

**F. B. KITTO DEAD.**  
Honorary Secretary of S. P. C. A. Passed Away This Morning at Family Residence.

This morning the death occurred of Francis Bowyer Kitto, youngest son of the late John Kitto, D. D., F. R. S. A., and one of Victoria's most prominent citizens.

Up to within a short time ago Mr. Kitto was actively engaged in his customary pursuits, the principal one of which was the transaction of the business devolving upon him as honorary secretary of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. His last work was to arrange for the regular sermon in all local churches on the work of that organization. Illness prevented Mr. Kitto attending any of these services. This gradually got worse, and despite the best medical attention, death ensued to-day.

The late Mr. Kitto was born in London, England, sixty-four years ago. In his earlier life he was connected with a large publishing house, and was later in the service of the Victoria and the O. C. Country, was chaplain to the late Queen's School, and a canon of St. Paul's cathedral.

Mr. Kitto leaves a widow, four children, and a large number of friends of this city, to mourn his loss.

The funeral has been arranged to take place at 3 o'clock on Friday afternoon from Christ church cathedral.

I beg to tender my sincere thanks to Messrs. Boardman and Spencer, general agents of the Aetna Insurance Company, of Hartford, for the prompt and full settlement of my claim under the policy for the loss of my property in the general fire at San Francisco.

Mrs. R. L. Nexman.

## SECOND STEAMER FOR WEST COAST

VESSEL IN ENGLAND MAY BE SELECTED

Capt. Buchholz and Engineer Hewitt Have Left Here to Examine the Ship.

It is probable that before the present year passes the C. P. R. Company will have opposition to their steamer service on the West Coast of Vancouver Island. A steamer for the purpose is now being sought, and if the one in view meets with approval she will leave England shortly for Victoria.

Capt. Otto Buchholz and Engineer Hewitt, the latter having recently been chief on the Dunsmuir yacht Thistle, have started for England, and upon arrival will examine the steamer. If they are satisfied with the vessel they will return on her. They left Victoria on Wednesday last, and are proceeding to England direct.

The steamer, which the company they are representing have selected for examination is a steel craft of about 400 tons, and is capable of carrying as many tons of freight. She has passenger accommodation for 80 people. She has a speed of twelve knots, and in point of convenience for working cargo and comfort is said to be all that is desired. The vessel is about the size of the Tees, which the C. P. R. lately put in the West Coast service.

A second steamer for exclusive service on this route is unprecedented in history. It is not so many years ago that the old steamer Maude was amply for all the trade on the route, but with the advent of new industries, the route is becoming more important every year. The output of the whaling and fishing stations alone are sufficient to almost keep a small steamer going continuously, and if a second whaling station is built on the West Coast as is contemplated one steamer of the size of the Tees will not be equal to the demands of business. Besides the mining industry, which is constantly, if slowly forging ahead, there are a couple of big saw mills that will soon be producing on a large scale. One of these situated at Mosquito is nearing completion, while the other is, as has previously been published, projected for Alberni canal.

With a double steamer service the West Coast will be brought into closer communication with Victoria, and the project is therefore one of considerable interest to all concerned in the growth of the Island. It was stated this morning that the company have an understanding with the whaling company for the handling of a certain amount of the latter's business, but this Capt. Balcorn denies.

—Complete change Gorge Park bioscope this week. Enlarged orchestra.

—A meeting of L. O. L. No. 1428, was held last evening when a resolution was unanimously carried thanking the business men and citizens and also the city newspapers for their assistance in helping to make the recent celebration a success.

**OAK BAY COUNCIL.**  
Committee Appointed at the First Meeting Held Last Night.

The first regular meeting of the council of the municipality of Oak Bay was held in the school house, Foul Bay road, last evening. All the members of the council were present.

The Rev. W. E. Oliver, appointed the following committees:  
Procedure—Messrs. W. Henderson, A. E. Haynes and J. Sutherland.  
Finance—F. M. Rattenbury, F. E. Pemberton and A. E. Haynes.  
Roads and bridges—F. E. Pemberton, W. Noble, J. Sutherland and F. M. Rattenbury.  
Sewers and fire—W. Henderson, A. E. Haynes and F. M. Rattenbury.  
Government surveys—J. Sutherland, F. E. Pemberton and W. Henderson.  
J. S. Floyd was appointed to fill the combined office of clerk, assessor, collector of taxes and treasurer.

In future the council will meet on alternate Monday evenings, commencing July 30th in the school house, Foul Bay road.

The office of the clerk will for the time being be in Chambers Chambers, Langley street.

—New pictures and enlarged orchestra, Gorge Park.

—"Bella Cubana," clear Havana Cigar.

## AN ELUSIVE PRISONER CAUSES MUCH TROUBLE

George Clyde Escaped Twice From Local Jail Yesterday—Investigation by Commissioners.

A special meeting of the police commissioners is being held this afternoon for the purpose of investigating the condition of the city jail which has been brought into question as a result of the escape of a prisoner twice in succession yesterday evening. It was called at the instance of His Worship Mayor Morley, who this morning expressed the opinion that such an incident required an immediate and thorough investigation. Either the building was faulty in its construction or the method of guarding the prisoners was unsatisfactory. Something or somebody was responsible for allowing the escape of even the most enterprising and resourceful man twice upon the same day.

The case to which the Mayor has reference and which has impelled him to call a meeting of the commissioners is that of George Clyde, who resides in one of the Pembroke street cabins. He was arrested by Detective Sergeant Palmer, and was being held while he recovered from a dangerous attack of influenza. In the meantime information was being obtained preparatory to laying a somewhat serious charge against him. It was brought to the notice of the police through a complaint of a mother of a little girl, four years of age. He is alleged to have subjected the latter to indecent attentions. Before the case against him was thought sufficiently complete to bring into court, however, Clyde recovered and began looking around for some way of escape.

Clyde, it should be explained, is an exceptionally strong man, in fact his frame is said to be one of the most attenuated and slippery which the members of the Victoria police force have yet had to guard. While exercising in the barracks yard yesterday he put a plan, no doubt previously thought out, to the test. Climbing a pipe in a corner he reached a barred window. Crawling between the bars he found himself in an unfrequented part of the city hall with a back stairway before him leading through the offices of the city superintendent of schools, F. H. Eaton, to the street below. Fortune favored him and he found his way to freedom without interference.

Notified of his loss the jailer at once instituted a search and discovered him in his cabin. The elusive Clyde was once more placed in duress, and again the thinness of his person enabled him to spring a surprise upon his guardians. Asking leave to go to the lavatory he took advantage of the opportunity to climb to the window, slip through the bars and get away. He has not yet been recovered, although it is believed to be simply a question of time before the police bring back their unwilling guest.

The whole question is being gone into this afternoon, and it is not improbable that some action will be taken by the commissioners looking to the safer keeping of inmates of the jail in the future.

**R. L. DRURY IS BACK.**  
He Found Victoria Attracting a Great Deal of Attention in the East.

R. L. Drury, M. P. F., has returned from a trip to the East. Accompanied by Mrs. Drury and members of the family, he has had a very pleasant visit, comprising business with pleasure. Ottawa, Montreal, Toronto, various centres in Western Ontario, and his old home at Barrie, were all included in the tour.

Mr. Drury returned well satisfied with British Columbia, and Victoria in particular. The extreme heat of the East is a decided drawback to one who has become accustomed to the Pacific Coast climate. Mr. Drury encountered some of the Eastern thunder storms, and has no hesitation in pronouncing British Columbia's weather conditions far ahead of the East.

He was impressed by the interest which was manifested wherever he went in British Columbia. It was really a surprise to Mr. Drury to find Victoria's advantages so widely known, and he was constantly interrogated relative to prices of lands, etc. To such an extent were these inquiries made that Mr. Drury will have several days' work getting from the provincial authorities and elsewhere definite information asked for and forwarding it to the persons making the requests.

He thinks that if a systematic campaign were undertaken in getting all the land available for agricultural and horticultural purposes before the public in definite shape that it would not be five years before every acre of arable land in the vicinity of the city was under cultivation. What is required is that the extent and the price of the land should be definitely known and the information made available for the purchasing public.

At Ottawa Mr. Drury called upon the British Columbia members and others. He says that Hon. Mr. Templeman has earned for himself an enviable reputation in looking after all matters entrusted to his charge. As Victoria's representative he was quick to act on all matters referred to him and had the questions brought immediately before the department concerned. In the discharge of the duties connected with his own department the minister has made a name for himself.

The Spanish municipal council met in its office on Glenford avenue on Saturday evening when a number of requests for road improvements in different parts of the municipality were received. Some requests were for new roads. All correspondence was this evening before every acre of arable land in the vicinity of the city was under cultivation. What is required is that the extent and the price of the land should be definitely known and the information made available for the purchasing public.

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## Sporting News

### THE RIFLE.

WISH HIM LUCK.

The shooting of Co. Sergt. Major Caven, Victoria's representative at the Bisley meet now in progress, has aroused considerable interest among local enthusiasts. In all the competitions with which he has been identified so far Caven has shot with marked consistency. His average is about the same, and it is scarcely necessary to say that it is exceedingly high. As the Bisley tournament continues, the attention of local marksmen is being attracted more and more to the Victorian's performance, and many are expressing confidence in the desire that he will be found well up in the King's prize contest, and will return with the Star Medal Cup, offered to the best Canadian shot, among other trophies. Not few who have not used a rifle in a keen contest over a wide-spread range can properly understand the strain upon the nerves necessitated by the constant care which must be exercised by the successful rifleman. Therefore the most that can be done by Caven's admirers is to wish him every good fortune and to silently await the news, hoping that his record may continue to be as favorable as heretofore.

### ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.

VISITING TEAMS.

It is not improbable that two prominent Old Country amateur teams will visit this city some time during the winter months. It was decided last month to announce a month or so ago that the Cornishians intended visiting Canada. Now comes the news that the Pilgrims are also contemplating a tour of the Dominion. If these elements carry out their present plans they will extend their itinerary West, and it is not saying too much to assert that, providing they get as far as Manitoba in the direction of the Pacific Coast, determined efforts will be made to bring them to this province. But it is doubtful if much persuasion will be necessary, as from investigations already instituted by a local enthusiast, it appears that the Old Country teams are perfectly willing to include British Columbia among their calling places. No difficulty would be experienced in obtaining credit.



## An Enemy of The King

By Hagenbuch Wyman

### CHAPTER XV.—(Continued.)

We pressed on, Frojac and I, myself knowing not what was to come, he content to follow me and face whatever might arise. The immediate thing was to reach the chateau, as mademoiselle had done. Some means must be found for getting entrance, for now that mademoiselle was inside, I looked to see the gate fall into place at once. But we beheld the unexpected. The gate remained open. No klax, appeared in the opening. We galloped up the hill, over the bridge, into the courtyard. Nothing hindered us. What did it mean?

We stopped our horses and dismounted. There in the courtyard stood mademoiselle's horse, trembling and panting, but mademoiselle herself had disappeared. Before us was an open door, doubtless the principal entrance to the chateau. Mademoiselle had probably gone that way.

"Come, Frojac," said I, and started for this door. But at that instant we heard rough exclamations and hasty steps behind us. We turned and there stood, from the guard-house by the gate, where they must have been gambling or drinking or sleeping, or otherwise neglecting their duty, came four men, who seemed utterly astonished at sight of us.

"Name of the Virgin!" cried one. "The gate open! Where is Lavigne? He has left his post! Who are you?" "Enemies!" Down with La Châtre! I answered, seeing in a flash that an attempt to fool them might be vain and would take time. A quick fight was the thing to serve me best, for these men had been taken by surprise, and two of them had only halberds, one had a sword, the fourth had an arquebus, but his match was out.

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He evidently thought that we were friends of the governor's who had happened to arrive at the chateau at his hour. So he, at least, had not received orders to admit mademoiselle. Joyful hope! Perhaps there had been no understanding between her and the governor, after all! But his comrade had let her in, had said that the governor would wish the gate opened to her at once. Then there was an understanding. "Where is your comrade?" I asked. "I left him with the lady, in the chamber at the head of the staircase. Ah, I heard him coming down the stairs!"

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able eleven to try conclusions with the experts. Although it would be unwise to venture prophecies of the outcome, it would be impossible to measure the stimulus a visit from two such teams would probably give the sport among the athletic inclined of this province.

### LAWN TENNIS.

VANCOUVER TOURNEY.

The annual tournament of the Vancouver Lawn Tennis Club has been announced to take place during the week commencing Monday, August 13th, on the Delman street grounds. Among the events included in the programme are the following: Gentlemen's singles, for the championship of the Mainland, which is at present held by Captain Wright; gentlemen's doubles; ladies' singles for the championship of the Mainland and the Bessie cup, which is held by Miss M. Pitts, of Victoria; ladies' and mixed doubles. In the handicap events there are gentlemen's singles, ladies' singles, a ladies' cup, which is held by Miss V. Poole, ladies' gentlemen's and mixed doubles.

A number of Victorians have decided to participate and have already submitted their entries to the honorary secretary, whose address is P. O. Box 25. These must be in on or before the 10th of next month.

### YACHTING.

A San Diego dispatch of recent date says: "The new cup candidate Acropolis, of the San Diego Yacht Club, which has been built to capture the Sir Thomas Lipton cup, was successfully launched this week. She is being fitted with mast, spars and rigging. This work is being speedily pushed, so that she can be tuned up to the proper pitch before the races for the cup take place. They have been scheduled for the first week in August. The Acropolis was designed and built by an Easterner who has settled in San Diego. She was ordered by a syndicate of yachtsmen, who have the interests of the sport at heart, and wanted to bring the cup back to San Diego, it having been captured by a yacht owned in the South Coast Yacht Club, of Los Angeles. The Acropolis belongs to the 35-foot racing class. She measures 11 feet 8 inches over all, and 24 feet 11 inches on the load water line."

who was aiming at me. Thus one of the halberdiers followed the swordsmen to earth instantly. The second halberdier recovered himself, and made to attack Frojac again, but I caught his weapon in my left hand, and so held it, while Frojac ran toward the archer, who was now coming from the guard-house with lighted match. The halberdier, whose weapon I now grasped in one hand, while I held my sword in the other, too fright, let his weapon go, and ran from the courtyard through the open gateway. The archer tried to bring his weapon to bear on Frojac, but Frojac dropped on his knees and, thrusting from below, ran his sword into the man's belly. The man fell into the courtyard, dropping his weapon and his match.

I looked around. The courtyard was empty. Were these four, then the only soldiers that had been left to guard the chateau? No, for these four had been surprised in the gate, and one of them must have opened the gate for mademoiselle. Moreover, the swordsmen had spoken of a Lavigne. "Take the arquebus and the match," Frojac said. "and come. There is nothing to be done here at present."

I obeyed him, and we returned to the door of the chateau. Just as we were about to enter, I heard steps of one coming down a staircase within. Then a man came out. He was a common soldier and he carried a halberd. At sight of us he stopped, and stood in the greatest astonishment. Then he looked toward the gate. His expression became one of the utmost consternation.

A thought came to me; I recalled what the swordsmen said.

"You are Lavigne," said I to the soldier.

"Yes," he said, bewildered.

"You were on duty at that gate, but you left your post?"

"Yes, but—"

"But you first opened the gate for a lady?"

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The moonlight through the open door showed a large vestibule, from which the staircase ascended toward the right. The man coming down this staircase was at the bottom step when I entered the vestibule. He stopped there, taken by surprise. I saw that he was of short stature, and slight figure. I caught him by the back of the neck with my left hand, and brought him to his knees before me.

"Where is the lady who but now entered the chateau?" I said. "Why are you silent, knave?"

"I trembled in my grasp, and I turned his face up toward mine. It was the face of mademoiselle's boy, Pierre, who had left us in the forest!"

"You here?" I cried. "It was you, then, who opened the gate to her? How came you here?"

"I would see the blue sky again!" I pressed my fingers into his throat, until he choked with death. He showed in his starting eyes, then I released my grasp, that he might speak.

"Oh, monsieur, have mercy!" he gasped. "Do not kill me!"

I saw that he was thoroughly frightened for his life. He was but a boy, and to a boy the imminent prospect of closing one's eyes forever is no pleasant thought.

"Speak, knave! Tell the truth!" I said, still holding him by the neck ready to tighten my clasp at any moment.

"I will, I will," he said. "I went to the house of M. de Varion to M. de Châtre, with a message, and he kept me in his service."

"What message?" The truth, boy! I shall see in your eyes whether or not it is truth you tell me, and if you lie your eyes shall never look on the world again."

"That I came from M. de Varion to the governor," he answered, humbly, "and that at the top of the hill that rises from the throne-shaped rock by the river road to Narbonne is the tower of the Huguenot fort."

The last doubt, the last hope, was gone.

"My God!" I cried, and cast the boy away from me. What now to me was he or anything that he might do or say? He covered for a moment on the ground, looking up at me, and then, seeing that I no longer heeded him, ran out to the courtyard.

For a moment I stood alone in the vestibule, crushed by the terrible certainty. All women, then, were as bad as Mlle. d'Arcy. The sweet and tender girl who had filled my heart was as the worst of them. To be betrayed was deplorable, but to be betrayed by her? To find her a traitress was terrible, but that I should be her dupe? And that I should still love her, love her, love her!

What, she was in the chateau, under this roof and I tarried here deploring the reason when I might be at her side, clasping her, looking into her eyes! The chamber at the head of the staircase, the guard house said I forgot Frojac, the guard, Pierre! But one thought, one desire, one impulse possessed me. With my dripping sword in my hand, I bounded up the stairs. They led me to a narrow gallery, which had windows on the side next the courtyard. There were doors on the other side. A single light burned. No one was in the gallery. The door nearest the staircase landing was slightly open. I ran to it and into the chamber to which it gave entrance.

As in the gallery, so in the chamber, I found no one. I stood just within the threshold and looked around. The walls of the apartment were hung with tapestry. At the right was first a window, then a chimney-place, beside which stood a sword, then a prieu-dieu. Before the fireplace was a table, on which were a lamp burning, paper, ink, pens and a large bowl of fruit. At the left of the chamber was a large bed, with its curtains drawn aside. Behind it was another table, on which was an empty tray. There was a door, slightly ajar, in that side of the room, and another in the side that faced me. On the back of the chair near the fireplace was slung a hunting horn. On a stool near the door, a single light burned. The boy I met with a dagger in slith. The boy looked as if some one had recently lain on it. The presence of the fruit, writing materials and other things seemed to indicate that this was the chamber of M. de la Châtre. But why was he not in his bed? Probably he could not sleep, while he awaited the result of this midnight enterprise of his troops. Certainly the servants in the chateau were asleep. It was apparent that the six guards, four of whom we had disposed of, were the only soldiers left at the chateau, for, if there had been any others in the guard-house, they would have been awakened by the fight in the courtyard. How many troops were left in the town? I could not know, but they would not come to the chateau during the night unless brought by an alarm. So there would not be many to interpose themselves between mademoiselle and me. But where was she? Whether should I first turn to seek her?

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### BOOKS IN HUMAN SKIN.

An interesting note in the Lancet refers to books bound in human skin—a curious comment as it were, upon the survival of letters over life. In the museum of the Bristol Royal Infirmary is a volume so bound. The writer says: "The book on superficial examination presents no very striking appearance. In aspect, it is nothing more than a moderately old volume bound in embossed leather and discolored by age. In the centre of the cover is a representation of a gallows, with the words below, 'Cutis vera Johannis Horwood.' Inside the covers are numerous legal and other documents that tell much about John Horwood." The author of the book was only a boy when he had quarrelled, fracturing his skull. A surgical operation, before the days of chloroform, resulted in his death. Amongst the papers connected with Horwood's trial is one which simply says: "Mem. Saw him executed accordingly, C. S." Such inhuman brevity, says the writer, reminds one of the illustrations which Green, the historian, gives of the way in which Thomas Cromwell "hooked off men's lives" even when such a life as Sir Thomas More's was in question. "Then, to know the King's pleasure concerning Thomas More." Another notable instance, a book found in human skin is in the Athenaeum at Bury St. Edmunds. The book contains an account of the trial of William Corbet, another man who had his own skin served as binding. Corbet was hanged on August 15th, 1823, and on the same night Macready took the part of Macbeth at Drury Lane. When Duncan asked, "Is execution done on Cawdor?" a voice from the gallery said, "Yes, sir, he was hung at Bury this morning." Even tragedies have their horrors.

A FAITHFUL REPORTER. William Allen White, the Kansas editor, in telling of the troubles of a city editor in drilling green reporters, was reminded of an amusing case that came within his own observation. "There is one thing you must remember above everything else," said the city editor of a St. Louis paper to a new reporter, "and that is, tell in the first few lines what your story is about—in other words, give the substance at once. Then follow with a recital of the facts, and conclude with interviews with the people concerned. That is the only orderly way of writing your story." The new man gave close attention to this lesson, the result of which was that, handed in that night a news item reading as follows: "Rufus Jenkins, a carpenter, slipped and fell in Vine street yesterday and sprained his ankle badly."

"Mr. Jenkins was walking along Vine street, when suddenly his feet slipped from under him, and he fell, spraining one of his ankles."

"When seen by a reporter, he said: 'I was walking along Vine street, when in some way my feet slipped from under me and I fell heavily to the sidewalk, spraining one of my ankles.'"

"Frank Fuller said: 'I was walking behind Mr. Jenkins on Vine street when I saw him slip and fall to the sidewalk. When I assisted him to rise he told me that he had sprained one of his ankles.'"

"Dr. Thomas Rich, who attended Mr. Jenkins, said: 'Mr. Jenkins has a badly sprained ankle, due to a fall in Vine street. He will be laid up for some time.'"

"Mr. Jenkins could not attend last night's meeting of the Carpenters' Union. The president, in opening the meeting, expressed regret that Mr. Jenkins could not attend, as he had slipped and fallen in Vine street, spraining one of his ankles."

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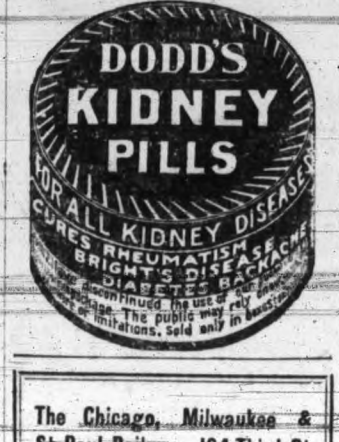
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### FACIAL PECULIARITIES.

The two sides of a person's face are never alike, according to the Indianapolis News. The eyes are, out of line in two cases out of five; and one eye is stronger than the other in seven cases out of ten. The right is also, as a rule, higher than the left. Only one person in fifteen has perfect eyes, the largest percentage of defects prevailing among fair-haired people. The smallest interval of sound can be distinguished better with one ear than with both. The nails of two fingers never grow with the same rapidity, that of the middle finger growing the fastest, while that of the thumb grows slowest. In fifty-four cases out of one hundred the left leg is shorter than the right.



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## WANTED-MALE HELP.

Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion.

WANTED-Two strong boys as apprentices. Apply to Messrs. Macdonald & Co.

ANY INTELLIGENT PERSON may earn a good income at home in spare time corresponding for newspapers; no canvassing; experience unnecessary. Send for particulars. Northern Press Syndicate, Leokport, N. Y.

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WANTED-A good sewing woman for 6 or 7 days in each month; good wages. A. B. C. Times Office.

WANTED-Two strong, bright, young girls, also big boy to drive delivery wagon, immediately, at Palace of Swags, 6 Government street.

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WANTED-To rent a piano in good condition, easy terms. Apply piano, this office.

WANTED-Milk supplied in bulk in Victoria, state quantity and price. Box 13, this office.

WANTED-Private board, at seaside, near Victoria, for small family, during summer. Particulars at Times Office.

WE PAY CASH for all kinds of junk, copper, brass, rubber, lead, tin, etc. Call on Junk Dealers and Second-Hand Store, 19 Store street.

WANTED-For few weeks in holidays, horse and two-wheeled buggy. Address Box 29, Times Office.

WANTED-Good prices will be paid for HOUSE RAGS of any kind, also old copper, brass, zinc, lead, cast iron, etc. Victoria Junk Agency, 29 Store street.

WANTED-All kinds of bicycle repair work, all work guaranteed. Address Box 29, Times Office.

SUNLIGHT SOAP COUPONS WANTED-Toilet soaps given in exchange for these coupons. Kings & Son, 11 Wharf street, Victoria.

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FOR SALE-An English setter dog, pup, little more than 4 months old. Apply P. H. Higgins, Constance avenue, Esquimalt.

FOR SALE-Thoroughbred Gordon setter dog, bitch, 4 years old, 12 lbs. 10 oz. Apply to Taunton, street, Spring Ridge.

FOR SALE-At The Ark, cor. Broad and Pandora: Express wagon, 2 seats, \$25, 1 road cart, \$15; 2 buggies, \$15; host of furniture, lawn mowers, etc., at reduction prices.

FOR SALE-Express outfit, good condition; buggy, good as new. Chicago Junk Dealers and Second-Hand Store, 19 Store street.

FOR SALE-Complete sets of Canadian Supreme Court Reports, Cotes Crim. Cases, Can. Crim. Cases, Can. Law Times, and all other Reports and Digests, A. & E. Encke, of Law, 2nd Ed., Encke, Laws of Eng. P. O. Box 56, Victoria.

FOR SALE-Two lots running from Rae street to Churchill, easy terms. Apply Perry Mills, city.

FOR SALE-\$150, new office typewriter. Address J. K. this office.

FOR SALE-Outfitter bag, in good condition, cheap. Apply Postmaster, Retreat Cove.

FOR SALE-Store, business, groceries, hardware, school supplies, candles, etc. (post office appointment expected daily); opposite eight roomed school, rapidly growing district; business easily managed; no canvassing; no bad debts; will take comfortable cottage in Victoria as part payment. Write quick. Store, 229 4th avenue, Fairview, Vancouver.

FOR SALE-Telegraph outfit, \$20; bicycle, Dunlop tires, Morrow coaster, \$15; baseball glove, \$2; tennis racket, \$2; double mattress, \$1; feather pillows, \$1; one lot of dolls; \$1; Jacob's Ladder, \$1; and many other goods at \$1.00 per lot. Apply to J. J. Fisher, Carriage Shop, 34 Store street.

FOR SALE-One black horse, five year old, sixteen hands high, very gentle, one bay horse, six years, also buggy, car, and wagon, and harness. Apply E. J. J. Fisher, Carriage Shop, 34 Store street.

ENGINE FOR SALE-In horse power. Can be seen in operation at the Times Building, 25 Broad street, running Times machinery.

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## Why Not Try?

There's no use getting mad if that For Sale sign you stuck on the front of your vacant house has not brought you a tenant or purchaser. Your sign has been read and re-read by practically the same people, who pass by it every day and who are too intent on other things to stop and look over the property. Now, if you would advertise in the real estate columns of the Times it would come before the eyes of all the people looking for real estate. This is because they are accustomed to have the Times tell them what property in Victoria may be had.

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TO LET-Large furnished bedroom, on car track. Apply 115 Superior street.

TO RENT-2 roomed house, partly furnished, at Vermouth Bay, Sea Spring Island. For particulars apply to E. J. Blumhardt, on premises.

TO RENT-Suite of offices on first floor in Bank of Montreal building. Occupation May 1st. Apply Bank of Montreal.

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LOST-Young white English setter dog, Finder will please return to 148 Humboldt street, and receive reward.

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WOODMEN OF THE WORLD-Victoria Camp, No. 2, Canadian Order of the Woodmen of the World, meets in A. U. W. Hall, Yates street, 1st and 2nd Fridays in the month. Wm. Jackson, clerk.

K. OF P. No. 1, Far West Lodge, Friday, K. of P. Hall, cor. Douglas and Pandora. Sis. H. Weber, K. of R. & S. Box 44.

A. O. F. COURT NORTHERN LIGHT, No. 100, meets at R. of P. Hall 2nd and 4th Wednesdays. W. P. Fullerton, Secy.

COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 2, I. O. O. F., meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in Odd Fellows Hall, Douglas street. R. W. Fawcett, Rec. Sec., 21 South Government street.

VICTORIA LODGE, No. 3, A. O. U. W., meets in month at A. O. U. W. Hall. Members of order visiting the city cordially invited to attend. E. Noble, M. W.

COURT CARIBOO, No. 78, I. O. O. F., meets first and third Mondays in K. of P. Hall, cor. Douglas and Pandora streets. S. Wilson, Secy., Michigan street, James Bay. Visiting brothers cordially invited.

NATIVE SONS-Post No. 1, meets K. of P. Hall, last Tues. of each month. A. E. Haynes, Secy., Bk. of Commerce Bldg.

## TEACHERS WANTED

Applications for positions on the teaching staff of the Victoria Normal School will be received by the undersigned until Thursday, the 20th inst. William Campbell, Headmaster, Victoria Normal School, Royal Oak P. O.

## Take Them In.

A good many strangers come into this city every day and they do not stop at hotels and they read the "Herald" and "Times" and with a pretty strong personal and urgent interest.

A BUSINESS CAN GO WITHOUT ADVERTISING-so can a wagon without wheels; but in both instances it goes to the dogs.

## SHERIFF'S SALE

Under and by virtue of a Warrant of Execution, issued out of the County Court at Victoria, in an action, Philip H. Smith, carrying on business under the firm name and style of the Victoria Printing and Publishing Co., vs. S. A. Finch, I have seized and taken possession of one Lanston Monotype Machine, complete, and will offer the same for sale at my office, Law Courts, Victoria, on Friday, July 27th, 1906, at 10:30 o'clock a.m. Terms of sale, cash.

Sheriff, County of Victoria, July 17th, 1906.

## SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTHWEST HOMESTEAD REGULATIONS.

Any even numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba or the Northwest Provinces, except a quarter section, may be homesteaded upon by any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 21 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section, of 160 acres, more or less.

Entry may be made personally at the local land office for the district in which the land to be taken is situated.

HOMESTEAD BY PATENT. A settler who has been granted an entry for a homestead is required to perform the conditions connected therewith under one of the following plans:

(1) At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year during the term of three years.

(2) If the father, or mother, if the father is deceased, of any person who is eligible to make a homestead entry under the provisions of this Act, resides upon the land in the vicinity of the land entered for by such person as a homestead, the requirements of this Act as to residence prior to obtaining patent may be satisfied by such person residing with the father or mother.

(3) If the settler has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of his homestead, the requirements of this Act as to residence may be satisfied by residence upon the said land.

APPLICANT FOR PATENT. Before making application for patent the settler must give six months' notice in writing to the Commissioner of the Dominion Lands at Ottawa, of his intention to do so.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTHWEST MINING REGULATIONS.

Coal lands may be purchased at \$100 per acre for soft coal and \$20 for anthracite. Not more than 20 acres can be acquired by one individual or company. Royalty at the rate of ten cents per ton of coal produced shall be collected on the gross output.

Quarter section free miner's certificate is granted upon payment in advance of \$5 per acre for an individual, and from \$20 to \$100 per acre for a company according to capital.

A free miner, having discovered mineral in place, may locate a claim 100x1500 feet.

The fee for recording a claim is \$5. At least 200 feet must be expended on the claim each year or paid to the mining recorder in lieu thereof. When \$500 has been expended or paid, the locator may, upon having a survey made, and upon complying with other requirements, purchase the land at \$1 an acre.

The patent provides for the payment of a royalty of 25 per cent on the sales.

PLACER mining claims generally are 100 feet square, entry fee \$5, renewable yearly.

A free miner may obtain two leases to dredge for gold of five miles each for a term of twenty years, renewable at the discretion of the Minister of the Interior.

The leasee shall have a dredge in operation within one season from the date of the lease for each five miles of river leased. Royalty at the rate of 25 per cent, collected on the output after it exceeds \$10,000.

W. W. CORY, Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.

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CANTON BAZAAR, 108 Government St. Just arrived from China, exquisite embroidered and drawn table covers and dollies; also linen and silk embroidered goods, Chinese etc. cracker.

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BEST JAPANESE PORCELAIN and fancy goods at Kawai Bros. Co., 5 Douglas street.

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Notice is hereby given that, sixty days after date, I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease of the following described foreshore and tidal lands and territorial water rights for fishing purposes, viz.: Commencing at a point, planted at high water mark on the westerly boundary line of Beacon Hill Park, Victoria, thence running north one-half mile and extending south to deep water.

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FOR SALE-Centre of city and on the Port street car line, modern bungalow of 7 rooms and all modern conveniences. This is well situated and can be purchased very reasonably. (51.)

FOR SALE-Oak Bay avenue, one lot and cottage of five rooms, bath, pantry and electric light. (52.)

FOR SALE-Stanley avenue, new modern bungalow of five rooms, bath, pantry, reception hall, and large basement under whole of the house, \$2,300. (53.)

FOR SALE-Craigflower road, on the George car line, one acre and new bungalow, containing 5 rooms, garden full of choice flowers and fruit. (54.)

FOR SALE-Within fifteen minutes' walk of Douglas street car line, two story brick dwelling, containing parlor, dining room, kitchen, bath, etc. Large barn and chicken house. This is for sale for \$1,500, and is a bargain. (55.)

FOR SALE-Old Esquimalt road, beautifully situated cottage of five rooms and modern conveniences, garden full of fruit, flowers and shrubs; large basement; 32 fruit trees, chicken house, etc. New furniture. May be purchased at a bargain and on easy terms. (56.)

FOR SALE-Orchard and chicken ranch, within two miles of the city, containing five acres, 100 apple trees, a roomed cottage and good supply of water. (57.)

FOR SALE-A whole island, containing 120 acres, 3 miles from the city, with two large dwellings; 130 acres under cultivation; 30 acres planted with deciduous fruit for particulars. (58.)

FOR SALE-Sterilized steamer Strathcona, fully equipped and ready to sail for the Northern trade; carries 22 men when loaded; 12 knots; draws 2 1/2 feet; electric light and search light, hull in good condition. This can be bought at a bargain. (59.)

FOR SALE-3 1/2 acres on Mount Tomlin road, covered with large and small oak, maple, birch, etc. This is a choice gentleman's residence. This is a choice and cheap. (60.)

FOR SALE-Or to lease-Pemberton road, 2 story modern dwelling, containing 5 rooms, bath, etc. This is a well situated and can be bought or rented on easy terms. (61.)

FOR SALE-Cheap fruit and chicken ranch, just outside the city limits; 5 acres in fruit and vegetables, 2 cows, 20 chickens, implements, running stream; 7 roomed house, barn, etc. (62.)

FOR SALE-5 acres on the Kootenay River, one acre cultivated, five acres slash, all good soil; small shack and outbuildings. (63.)

FOR SALE-The only choice acres on the Arm and Gorge car line.

FOR SALE-Two acres of choice land at Shoal Bay. (64.)

FOR SALE-In centre of the city, large modern dwelling and three city lots, having a frontage on two principal streets, well adapted for large boarding house, school or hospital. This cost the owner \$15,000, and is for sale at \$10,000. (65.)

FOR SALE-Two acres all under cultivation. This is all under crop and should be a first-class speculation. Cheap at \$1,000. (66.)

FOR SALE-Lots in all parts of the city, 20 lots on Hillside avenue and 20 lots on Hillside road. (67.)

FOR SALE-Two lots with water front on Kootenay River. These are worth looking into. (68.)

FOR SALE-One acre on Belmont avenue; would make beautiful site for gentleman's residence. Only \$2,100. (69.)

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FOR SALE-Six acres on Quadra street, all dwelling of 7 rooms; 3 cows, 20 chickens, implements, 4 acres cultivated, 2 acres slash. This is worth looking into. (7



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Boiled Tongue, per lb.	20c	Cheese Straws, per lb.	20c
Corned Beef, per lb.	20c	Pork, Beef & Mutton Pie, ea. lb.	20c

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At His Residence,  
219 Pandora Street,  
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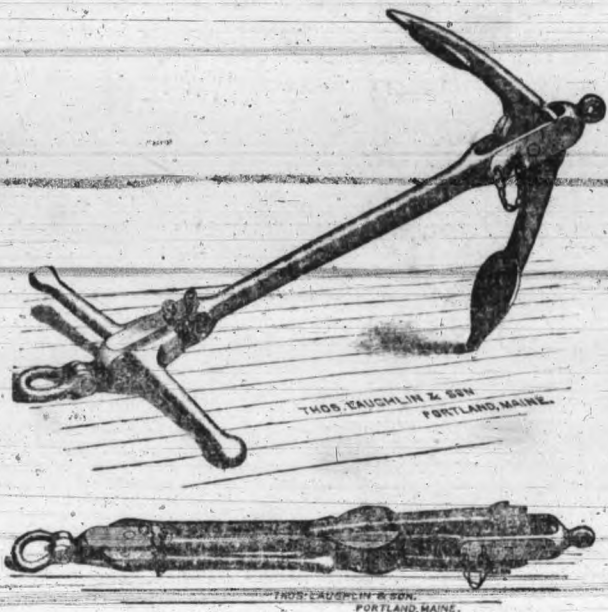
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